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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **ANDREW JOSEPH  
DILLON, ET AL.**

Serial No.: **09/828,343**

Filed: **2001 APRIL 06**

For: **PARTIALLY RIGID-PARTIALLY  
FLEXIBLE ELECTRO-OPTICAL  
SENSOR FOR FINGERTIP  
TRANSILLUMINATION**

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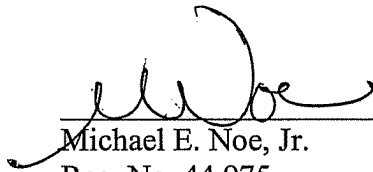
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Dear Mr. Winakur:

This Application was filed April 6, 2001. Applicant has timely responded to two office actions dated February 26, 2002 and August 29, 2002. On February 5, 2003, Applicant filed a Substitute Amendment B Under 37 CFR 1.1112. On June 3, 2003, Applicant filed a Supplemental Declaration for Reissue. Applicant has not received any further communication from you or the Patent Office for this application. Applicant respectfully request a status update and an official search if this Application can not be found.

Respectfully submitted,



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